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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill 1085 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 2, line 31, delete "plus" and insert "**and**".
- 2 Page 2, after line 42, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 3 "SECTION 4. IC 33-5-29.5-1.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 4 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 5 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: **Sec. 1.5. (a) As used in this section,**
- 6 **"judge" refers only to a judge described in section 1(b)(1) of this**
- 7 **chapter.**
- 8 **(b) The judges shall be elected in nonpartisan elections.**
- 9 **(c) During the period under IC 3-8-2-4 in which a declaration of**
- 10 **candidacy may be filed for a primary election, an individual who**
- 11 **wants to become a candidate for judge of the court must file a**
- 12 **declaration of candidacy:**
- 13 **(1) prescribed under IC 3-8-2;**
- 14 **(2) with the county election board;**
- 15 **(3) designating which judgeship the candidate seeks; and**
- 16 **(4) signed by the candidate.**
- 17 **The county election board shall reject a declaration of candidacy**
- 18 **that does not designate the judgeship the candidate seeks.**
- 19 **(d) To be eligible for election, a candidate must satisfy the**
- 20 **requirements described in section 1(d) of this chapter at the time**
- 21 **the candidate files the candidate's declaration of candidacy.**
- 22 **(e) The name of each candidate who:**
- 23 **(1) files a declaration of candidacy; and**
- 24 **(2) is eligible for election;**

1 for each respective judgeship shall be listed on the general election
 2 ballot in the form prescribed by IC 3-11-2, without party
 3 designation.

4 (f) The candidate receiving the highest number of votes for each
 5 judgeship shall be elected to that office.

6 (g) IC 3, where not inconsistent with the provisions of this
 7 chapter, applies to elections under this chapter."

8 Page 3, between lines 14 and 15, begin a new paragraph and insert:

9 "SECTION 6. IC 33-5-40-1.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 10 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 11 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 1.5. (a) The eight (8) judges of the
 12 court shall be elected in nonpartisan elections.

13 (b) During the period under IC 3-8-2-4 in which a declaration
 14 of candidacy may be filed for a primary election, an individual who
 15 wants to become a candidate for judge of the court must file a
 16 declaration of candidacy:

- 17 (1) prescribed under IC 3-8-2;
- 18 (2) with the county election board;
- 19 (3) designating which judgeship the candidate seeks; and
- 20 (4) signed by the candidate.

21 The county election board shall reject a declaration of candidacy
 22 that does not designate the judgeship the candidate seeks.

23 (c) To be eligible for election, a candidate must satisfy the
 24 requirements described in section 1(c) of this chapter at the time
 25 the candidate files the candidate's declaration of candidacy.

26 (d) The name of each candidate who:

- 27 (1) files a declaration of candidacy; and
- 28 (2) is eligible for election;

29 for each respective judgeship shall be listed on the general election
 30 ballot in the form prescribed by IC 3-11-2, without party
 31 designation.

32 (e) The candidate receiving the highest number of votes for each
 33 judgeship shall be elected to that office.

34 (f) IC 3, where not inconsistent with the provisions of this
 35 chapter, applies to elections under this chapter."

36 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1085 as printed February 26, 1999.)

Representative Brown C